

August 27, 2012

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street Southwest Washington, DC 20554

Re: Ex parte notice regarding the Better Broadband, Better Lifeline Application for the FCC's Lifeline Pilot Program, WC Docket NO. 11-42.

Dear Secretary Dortch,

This letter is to notify you that on August 24, 2012, Drew Clark (Executive Director) and Lacey Buss (Administrative Coordinator) spoke with Jonathan Lechter and Garnet Hanley of the Wireline Competition Bureau.

The conversation centered on supplemental materials for an application in the aforementioned docket. The supplemental information will be filed later this week.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, this letter is being filed electronically.

Sincerely,

Drew Clark

**Executive Director** 

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cc: Jonathan Lechter, Garnet Hanly